

Command Sergeant Major Larry S. Turner
82nd Airborne Division
USASMDC/ARSTRAT

Command Sergeant Major Larry S. Turner, a native of Perth Amboy, NJ, graduated from Perth Amboy High School and entered military service in April 1978. CSM Turner completed basic training at Fort Dix, NJ. His advanced infantry and airborne training was completed at Fort Benning, GA.

CSM Turner's assignments include 3rd Battalion, 325th Airborne Infantry Regiment, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; 4th Battalion, 325th Airborne Combat Team (ABCT), Vicenza, Italy; 4th Battalion 325th Infantry Regiment Fort Bragg, North Carolina; 2nd Battalion 504th Parachute Infantry Regiment Fort Bragg, North Carolina; Infantry Training Brigade, Fort Benning, Georgia; 2nd Battalion 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; 1st Region ROTC, Atlanta, Georgia. He also served as the 1st Battalion, 48th Infantry Regiment Command Sergeant Major at Ft. Leonard Wood, Missouri; ROTC Brigade Sergeant Major; 82nd Division Special Troops Battalion Command Sergeant Major, Fort Bragg, North Carolina. Command Sergeant Major of Task Force Cincinnatus, and Bagram Airfield, Afghanistan. Command Sergeant Major of Task Force Gladius, CJTF-82, Bagram Airfield, Afghanistan. Command Sergeant Major of Combined Security Transition Command Afghanistan and NATO Training Mission Afghanistan.



CSM Turner's duty positions included: Rifleman, Team Leader, Squad Leader, Section Sergeant, Platoon Sergeant, Drill Sergeant, Drill Sergeant Instructor, First Sergeant, ROTC instructor, Battalion CSM, ROTC Brigade Sergeant Major and Brigade Task Force CSM. CSM Turner's military education includes Primary NCO Course, Basic and Advanced Infantry NCO Courses, Drill Sergeant Course, First Sergeant Course and Sergeants Major Academy and various other professional development courses.

CSM Turner's awards and decorations include Bronze Star Medal (2nd OLC), Meritorious Service Medal (5th OLC), Army Commendation Medal (4th OLC), Army Achievement Medal (1st OLC), Joint Meritorious Unit Award, Meritorious Unit Commendation, Army Good Conduct Medal (10th Award), National Defense Service Medal (2nd Award), Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal with Bronze Service Star, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Humanitarian Service Medal, NCO Professional Development Ribbon with numeral 4, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon, Saudi Arabia Liberation Medal, Kuwait Liberation Medal, Combat Infantry Badge (2nd Award), Expert Infantry Badge, Master Parachutist Badge with combat device and Drill Sergeant Badge.

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